State of Montana Office of the Governor





Executive Order No. 10-98

EXECUTIVE ORDER PROCLAIMING AN EMERGENCY TO EXIST IN THE STATE OF MONTANA

WHEREAS, severe weather including rain, hail, and high winds has occurred across the State of Montana daily since June 27, 1998; and

whereas, this severe weather has caused substantial erosion and destruction of publicly-owned highways, roads, bridges and streets; damage to public works facilities; and debris problems in several counties and cities across the State of Montana; and

WHEREAS, the severe weather has caused substantial damage to private property; and

WHEREAS, a proclamation of an emergency or disaster authorizes the Governor under section 10-3-311, MCA, to expend funds from the general fund to meet contingencies and needs arising from these conditions.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MARC RACICOT, Governor of the State of Montana, pursuant to the authority vested in me as Governor under the Constitution of the State of Montana and Title 10, Chapter 3, MCA, and under other applicable statutes, do hereby declare an emergency to exist in the State of Montana.

This Order shall be effective immediately.

GIVEN under my hand and the GREAT SEAL of the State of Montana, this 8 day of 1998.

MARC RACICOT, Governor

ATTEST:

MIKE COONEY, Secretary of State